

Doing Business with U.S. Army TACOM Life Cycle Management Command

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TACOM LCMC

Mission / Product Lines / Magnitude

Develop, acquire, field, and sustain Soldier and ground systems for the Warfighter through the integration of effective and timely Acquisition, Logistics, and cutting-edge Technology

What we do (Core Competencies):

- · Acquisition / Program Management
- Logistics, Industrial Operations, and Contracting
- Research, Development, and Life Cycle Engineering

The Magnitude:

- Over 150 Allied Countries Own TACOM Equipment
- Over 70% of the Military's Equipment and Systems
- Approximately 5,000 Fielded End Items
- Over 52,000 NSN Managed

The TACOM LCMC Product Lines:

- Combat Vehicles
- Trailers
- Materiel Handling Equipment
- Fuel & Water Dist Equipment
- Chemical Defense Equipment
- Howitzers
- Commercial Vehicles
- Tactical Vehicles
- Construction Equipment
- Tactical Bridges
- Armored Security Vehicle
- Route Clearing Vehicle

- Sets, Kits & Outfits
- Shop Equipment
- Large Caliber Guns
- Watercraft
- Mortars
- Aircraft Armaments
- Rail
- Fuel & Lubricant Products
- Rifles / Machine Guns
- Soldier Equipment
- Rapid Fielding Initiative
- Mine Resistant Ambush Protected













We support a diverse set of product lines through their life cycles, from combat and tactical vehicles, armaments, watercraft, fuel and water distribution equipment, to soldier, biological, and chemical equipment.

Contracting Opportunities at TACOM LCMC's 6 Sites

TACOM LCMC-WARREN WARREN, MICHIGAN

- Combat Vehicles
- Tactical Vehicles
- Trailers
- Fuel/Water Distribution Systems
- Construction Equipment
- Material Handling Equipment

- Artillery & Small Arms
- Combat Vehicle Armaments
- Aircraft Armaments
- Fire Control Systems
- Chemical Defense Equipment
- •Mine Resistant Ambush Protected (MRAP) Vehicles
- Bridging and Watercraft



(586) 282-5388

SIERRA ARMY DEPOT HERLONG, CALIFORNIA

Asset Storage and **Logistics Support**

(530) 827-4825





RED RIVER ARMY DEPOT

TEXARKANA, TEXAS

WATERVLIET ARSENAL WATERVLIET, NY

Large Caliber Cannon Production

(518) 266-4150



ROCK ISLAND ARSENAL-JMTC ROCK ISLAND, ILLINOIS

Manufacture of Specialized Ordnance and Retrofit Items



Overhaul and Repair of Combat and Tactical Vehicles and Combat Vehicle Track

(903) 334-3989

ANNISTON ARMY DEPOT ANNISTON, ALABAMA

Overhaul and Repair of Combat Vehicles, **Engines** and Munitions



(256) 235-7346

PROCNET- http://contracting.tacom.army.mil/



Tip Sheets - http://contracting.tacom.army.mil/sbo/tipsheets.htm



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Last Updated: February 28, 2012

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Cotting Started Basics Expectations

Are you a Small Business?

 To be considered a small business for a solicitation, the business <u>must</u> not exceed the NAICS Code Size Standard that was assigned to the solicitation.

establishes small business <u>size standards</u> for NAICS Codes

- Manufacturers = Number of Employees (average employment of a firm)
- Services = Millions of Dollars (average annual receipts)



- The Contracting Officer assigns the NAICS Code for a solicitation
- A business <u>could be determined small</u> under one NAICS Code (solicitation) <u>but not another</u>
- When searching for solicitations, search for NAICS codes that apply to your line of business

Tips for Contractors

Develop a 1-2 page company "resume":

- Make clear what your size, socioeconomic status is, CAGE Code.
- Focus on product over process; define the specific items or services your firm can provide, NAICS Codes.
- Describe how your company can distinguish itself (e.g., mention an accomplishment or two).

Pursue direct marketing opportunities:

- DoD Conferences most are sponsored by the National Defense Industrial Association (<u>www.ndia.org</u>).
- Industry Days associated with specific TACOM solicitations; announced in ProcNet.

Work with your PTAC: (www.aptac-us.org).

Subcontracting Opportunities

- Subcontracting Opportunity Websites
 - ✓ SBA Sub-Net <u>www.sba.gov/subnet</u>
 - ✓ DoD Subcontracting Directory www.acq.osd.mil/osbp/doing-business/
 - ✓ DoD Prime Contract Descriptions <u>www.defense.gov/contracts</u>
 - ✓ TACOM LCMC Prime Contractor Lists http://contracting.tacom.army.mil/sbo/sbo.htm
- After targeting a prime contractor make maximum use of its supplier website...
 highlighted below are those of Oshkosh and General Dynamics Land Systems

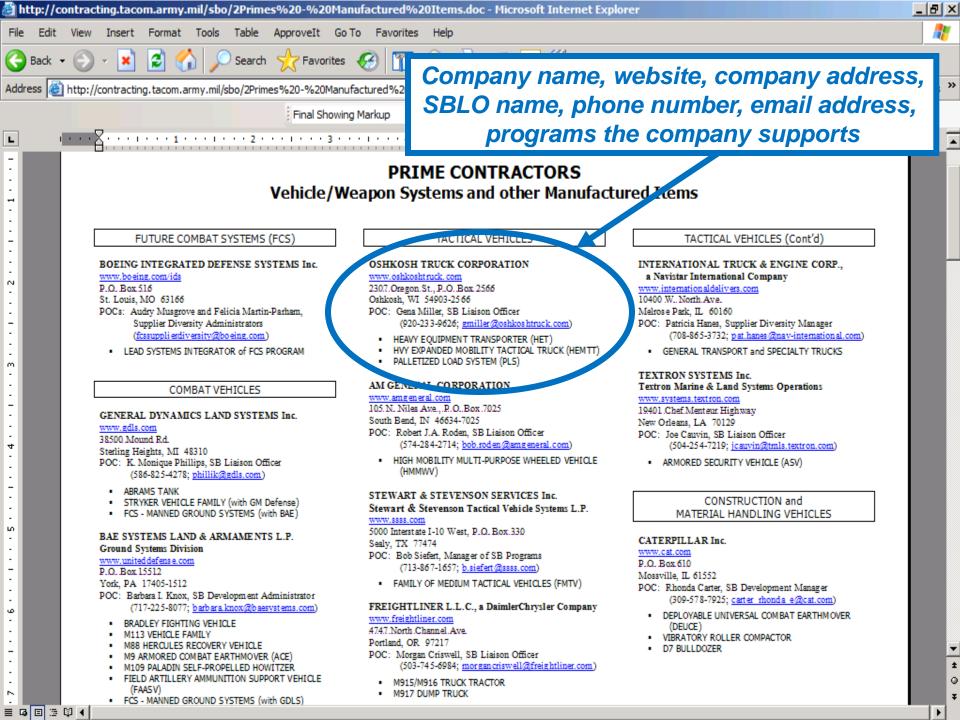
Oshkosh Corporate Purchasing www.oskgpsc.net

- Supplier development information
- Purchasing contacts by commodity
- Online supplier registration
- Small Business Liaison Officer (SBLO) contact information

GDLS Supply Chain Management

www.gdls.com/suppliersoverview

- Supplier manual
- "iSupplier" instructions for online quoting
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TACOM Strategic Service Solutions (TS3)



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TS3 Family of Contracts (FoC) DRAFT Solicitations Webpage – 28 Mar 2014

Link to the TS3 FoC DRAFT Solicitations Webpage - 28 March 2014

Post-Strategy Change Question and Answer (Q&A) - 28 February 2014

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Revised Milestone Dates - 29 January 2014

ACC-WRN is targeting the below milestone dates for the TS3 Family of Contracts, to include the three contract suites:

Release Draft RFPs - March 2014 Release Final RFPs - May 2014 Proposals Due - July 2014 IDIQ Contract Awards - January 2015

Strategy Change - 13 December 2013

The acquisition strategy has changed for the TS3 procurement. Please note the following:

(1) TS3 will no longer be a consolidation of requirements: TS3 will now be categorized as a "Family of Contracts" with three

https://contracting.tacom.army.mil/services/S3/S3.htm

Know the Players in Government Contracting

- Routine Participants
 - PROCURING CONTRACTING OFFICER (PCO)-issues solicitations and awards contracts
 - PROGRAM MANAGER -develops acquisition plans and manages acquisitions
 - SMALL BUSINESS SPECIALIST -screens all upcoming RFPs as set-aside candidates
 - SBA PROCUREMENT CENTER REPRESENTATIVE -also reviews RFPs for set-aside suitability
 - COMPETITION ADVOCATE -promotes competition and challenges barriers to it
 - ADMINISTRATIVE CONTRACTING OFFICER (ACO) -monitors contract performance
- Your initial go-to person for contracting advice and guidance at any Federal procurement agency is the Small Business Specialist

What SB Specialists can do for you

- ✓ Discuss the extent that your capabilities match the agency's opportunities
- ✓ Suggest avenues to pursue, tailored to your specific product or service line
- ✓ Record your company as an available contracting source
- ✓ Be available for follow-up questions

What SB Specialists cannot do

- Act on your direct behalf in a manner even marginally resembling that of an agent
- Respond to a question regarding a specific solicitation or contract (such matters are the province of the buyer and PCO)



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